

REMARKS

Attached is a clean (non-telefaxed) copy of Figure 2 as filed with the supplemental amendment of November 10, 2005.

The Notice Regarding Drawings in this case comprised two components. A telephonic interview was held with Mr. Tyrone Johnson of the Office of Patent Publication, on February 21, 2006.

During that telephonic interview, it was agreed that Figures A-C were not patent drawing figures, would not become part of the final patent, and accordingly, did not need to meet the formal drawing figure requirements.

The second item discussed was the fact that Figure 2 as amended by the Supplemental Amendment of November 10, 2005 was unsatisfactory only for being a telefax. Accordingly, attached hereto is a clean copy of Figure 2.

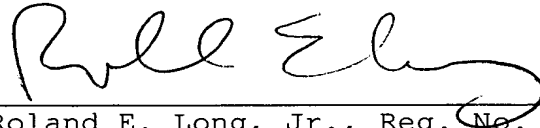
Based on this telephonic interview, it is believed that this response is fully compliant with the Notice Regarding Drawings.

Therefore, the application is believed to be in condition for issuance. If there is any problem in this regard, it is requested that the undersigned attorney be immediately contacted by telephone in order to resolve such problem.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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APPENDIX:

The Appendix includes the following item:

- clean (non-telefaxed) copy of Figure 2 as filed with the supplemental amendment of November 10, 2005